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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Morning Meeting of 6 January 1965

There was a Current Intelligence Briefing. Tabled was a memo of DDI-DDS&T readout of CORONA 1015.

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[redacted] for DDS&T, reported that weather is breaking and we hope to fly the [redacted] mission tomorrow. He reported on one flight at [redacted] yesterday, and described [redacted]

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Bross reported that McMillan and Fubini plan to visit [redacted] Monday to look into [redacted] and that this has given Wheelon some concern.

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Houston reported that four resolutions have been introduced in Congress calling for a joint committee. He said that Congressman Mel Price will be asked to address the mid-career course. He noted vacancies on the Appropriations Committee and said that he will prepare a memo with suggestions that DCI may wish to take up with Mahon.

Chretien asked for guidance in handling press queries about CIA ownership or occupation of various buildings around town. DCI asked Kirk to handle this one.

Executive Director reported on the status of [redacted] funding. He noted a speech by [redacted] before U.S. Foreign Service Officers recently, and it was agreed that arrangements would be made to invite [redacted] here for a debriefing session following his year-long worldwide trip.

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DCI requested a status report on [redacted] missions in the [redacted] looking ahead to any possible requests for new approvals [redacted]

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DCI referred to yesterday's meeting of the Principals concerning SVN. There will be a further meeting Saturday to consider a JCS paper on maritime operations [redacted]

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DCI noted an apparent lack of planning and organization for accommodating and providing a mission to [redacted] [redacted] being assigned to SVN. He requested that DeSilva be clued in so as to be able to study the problem as a member of the country team.

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